MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, WEEK ENDED THURSDAY THE 21ST FEBRUARY 1952.

A total of 14 attacks with 7 deaths from Plague was returned from 5 villages in 3 taluks in 1 District during the week against 3 attacks with nil death in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1951 and 1950 were 16 attacks with 6 deaths and 1 attack with 1 death, respectively.

A total of 62 attacks with 27 deaths from Small-pox were reported from the Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields and from the towns of Bannur, Chikballapur and Shimoga and from the taluks of Bangalore North, Challakere, Mandya and Nelamangala.

Eight attacks with 2 deaths from Cholera were reported from Nyamathi Town and from the taluks of Honnali and Shikarpur.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 230 (52 in hospitals) for 7 days representing a calculated death-rate of 15·1 (11·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 17·9 (13·9 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under Small-pox, 2 under Typhoid, 33 under Other Fevers, 25 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 168 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very low.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 68 (17 in hospitals) for 7 days representing a calculated death-rate of 14·3 (10·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 11·4 (5·6 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Small-pox 1, Malaria 4, Other Fevers 8, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 1, and All Other Causes 54. The reported mortality was very low.

There were 46 deaths (15 in hospitals) for 5 days from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 20·9 (14·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis). Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 41 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very low.

7721 T. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA, *Director.*

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, BANGALORE SOUTH, BANGALORE.

Dated 19th December 1951.

Lighting up Time for the month of March 1952.

No. 530—G C.—51-52. The following time of Sunrise and Sunset are published for general information. Lamps on vehicles must be lit during the period between half an hour after Sunset and half an hour before Sunrise :—

Date		Sunrise A.M.	Sunset P.M.
1st March 1952	...	6 36	18 29
2nd do	...	6 35	18 29
3rd do	...	6 35	18 30
4th do	...	6 34	18 30
5th do	...	6 34	18 30
6th do	...	6 33	18 30
7th do	...	6 33	18 30
8th do	...	6 32	18 30
9th do	...	6 32	18 30
10th do	...	6 31	18 30
11th do	...	6 31	18 30
12th do	...	6 30	18 30
13th do	...	6 29	18 30
14th do	...	6 29	18 30
15th do	...	6 28	18 31
16th do	...	6 27	18 31
17th do	...	6 26	18 31
18th do	...	6 26	18 31
19th do	...	6 25	18 31
20th do	...	6 24	18 31
21st do	...	6 24	18 31
22nd do	...	6 23	18 31
23rd do	...	6 23	18 31
24th do	...	6 22	18 31
25th do	...	6 21	18 31
26th do	...	6 20	18 32
27th do	...	6 19	18 32
28th do	...	6 19	18 32
29th do	...	6 18	18 32
30th do	...	6 18	18 32
31st do	...	6 17	18 32

N. G. SHELKE,

6207 For *Dist. Supdt. of Police.*

5 B